

Protocol

Family Name:	Favel Gryner
Birth Data:	1914, Ilza, Kielce district
Where did you live during the war?	Ostrowiec
Where do you live now?	Lodz, Piatrikoska 33 59

In Ostrowiec the division/partition began on the 11th of October 1942. After the division, 4,000 Jews remained in Ostrowiec. Those that remained were in their own ghetto near the cemetery. The Jews worked in the Zaklady Ostrowieckie {Steel Mill} **ZAKŁADY OSTROWIECKIE**. A part of these Jews were illegal. The Jews had moved to פארצומטע [?] lager by the factory. The lager was supposed to open April 1, 1943. Jews gave all kinds of suggestions about how to not go to the lager. We wanted to join the partisans. The first group of 12 men went to the partisans and the partisans shot them. Some looked for סכראנעס [?] with peasants and some of them remained alive.

A group of eight Jews, Aaron Rappaport, Leibel Fuchs, Ephraim, Mrs. Brukier and two sons Pinche and Shlomo and two brothers from Gritze went to live in the village כמיעלון [?] to the peasant Pastuzka. Pastuzka made a bunker in his house that was 5 meters long and 2 meters wide and 2 and a half meters deep. Half of the bunker was taken up with two שסאק'קע פרוטשן [?]. Pastuzka made a table from a board and a bench and in that סכראן/סכראן [?] (possibly thatch) they remained.

Thanks to Mrs. Brukier's third son who worked in the factory together with Pastuzka who also worked in the same factory, a contact was created between those in hiding in the bunker and certain Jews who were working in the factory. At a certain time around זומען [Summer?] 1943 in the Bunker of Pastuzka additional people joined, Meyer Weisfeld from Lodz, Meyer Fuchs from Ostrowiec, Pastuzka took them in.

In the year 1944, when the lager became more באדראט / באצאט [?] more Jews from the lager joined Moshe Brokier the son of Mrs. Brokier, 2 Koplovitch brothers from Lodz, Yisroel Yitzchak Krajndels and me, Favel Gryner.

Pastuzka Taduez took care of us all the time. He used to bring out to us, he used to bring us water. One of us used to cook in his house for all of us. The סכראן [?]

was connected to Pastuzkas house by a path. We stayed with Pastuzka until liberation.

All 17 Jews who were with Pastuzka are alive. The Brokirer family is still in Poland on [?] נידערשלעזיען and me. The rest of the Jews are abroad. After liberation, Pastuzka had to run away from the village, because the neighbors [?] געדראט/קעצאלן. Today he lives in Ostrowiec Glagovoska 8

Signed testimony by Favel Gryner

Signed protocol by Klara Mirska

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